

Mr. Ely reported a bill, entitled, an act allowing Elijah Taylor, former collector of the first collection district of Baltimore county, further time to complete his collections,

Which was read the first, and by special order, the second time, and passed.

Mr. Bowlus reported a bill, entitled, an act to authorise the Levy Court of Frederick county, in their discretion to levy a sum of money to build a bridge over Cotoctin creek, on the public road from Jefferson, via Frederick Hemp's mill, and intersecting the Petersville and Middle town road,—And,

Mr. Coombs reported a bill, entitled, an act to provide for changing the place of holding the elections in the sixth election district, in Prince George's county,

Which were severally read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Brengle, from the select committee, to which was referred the bill from the Senate, entitled, a supplement to the act, entitled, an act to appropriate a part of the School Fund belonging to Frederick county, to the purposes therein mentioned, and for other purposes, reported the same without amendment,

Which was read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Boyd, the house took up for consideration the report and resolution submitted by him on the 16th ultimo, in favor of Henry Baer, a soldier of the revolution,

The said report and resolution was then read the second time, the report concurred in, and the resolution therein contained assented to.

The hour having arrived for taking up the order of the day, the house resumed the consideration of the unfinished order of yesterday, being the bill reported by Mr. Ford, chairman of the committee on the constitution, entitled, an act to amend the constitution and form of government of the State of Maryland.

On motion of Mr. Kerr,

The house was called, and the door-keeper sent for the absent members, who after a short time had elapsed, returned and reported that in obedience to order, he had notified the absent members that their attendance in the house was required.

The house then resumed the consideration of said bill.

On motion of Mr. Ridgely,

The house again resolved itself into a committee of the whole house upon said bill, and after some time spent in